

# Shawn Patrick Blazer

Shawn Patrick Blazer was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 30

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Wildland Contract

Incident date: Aug 5, 2008 19:30

Date of death: Aug 5, 2008

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Grayback Forestry Inc.  
1150 Ort Ln USNG: 10T DN 6636 0636  
Merlin, OR 97532  
Chief: President Mike Wheelock

# Scott Albert Charlson

Scott Albert Charlson was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 25

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Wildland Contract

Incident date: Aug 5, 2008 19:30

Date of death: Aug 5, 2008

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

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# Matthew Aaron Hammer

Matthew Aaron Hammer was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 23

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Wildland Contract

Incident date: Aug 5, 2008 19:30

Date of death: Aug 5, 2008

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

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# Edrik Juan Gomez

Edrik Juan Gomez was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 19

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Wildland Contract

Incident date: Aug 5, 2008 19:30

Date of death: Aug 5, 2008

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

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# Bryan James Rich

Bryan James Rich was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 29

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Wildland Contract

Incident date: Aug 5, 2008 19:30

Date of death: Aug 5, 2008

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

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Chief: President Mike Wheelock

# David Elijah Steele

David Elijah Steele was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 19

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Wildland Contract

Incident date: Aug 5, 2008 19:30

Date of death: Aug 5, 2008

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

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Chief: President Mike Wheelock

# Steven Caleb Renno

Steven Caleb Renno was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 21

Rank: Firefighter

Classification: Wildland Contract

Incident date: Aug 5, 2008 19:30

Date of death: Aug 5, 2008

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

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Chief: President Mike Wheelock

# James Ramage

James Ramage was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 63

Rank: Pilot

Classification: Wildland Full-Time

Incident date: Aug 5, 2008 19:30

Date of death: Aug 5, 2008

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

US Forest Service - Shasta-Trinity National Forest  
3644 Avtech Parkway USNG: 10T EK 5926 8553  
Redding, CA 96002  
Chief: Forest Supervisor Sharon Heywood



# Roark Schwanenberg

Roark Schwanenberg was honored on the National Fallen Firefighters Memorial in Emmitsburg, Maryland and was included in the USFA's annual report Firefighter Fatalities in the United States.

Age: 54

Rank: Pilot

Classification: Wildland Contract

Incident date: Aug 5, 2008 19:30

Date of death: Aug 5, 2008

Cause of death: Vehicle Collision - Includes Aircraft

Nature of death: Trauma

Activity type: Other

Emergency duty: Yes

Duty type: Other On-Duty

Fixed property use: Outdoor Property

Memorial fund information:

## Department information

Carson Helicopters, Inc.  
828 Brookside Boulevard USNG: 10T DN 6827 0622  
Grants Pass, OR 97526  
Chief: Director of Helicopter Ops Andy Mills

